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## State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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October 17, 1996

Vearl Christiansen Bureau of Land Management Richfield District Office 150 East 900 North Richfield, Utah 84701

Re:

Amended Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Wonder 2 Project, S/041/025, Sevier County, Utah

Dear Mr. Christiansen:

Thank you for forwarding the amended Notice for Diversified Stone Products, Wonder 2 Project, located in the NE1/4 of the W1/2 of Section 23, T26S, R4W, Sevier County, Utah. Your agency's designated number for this project is UTU-71533.

The Division has evaluated the Notice under the Small Mining Operation section of our Rules. The information provided in the notice meets the requirements of Rule R647-3 of the 1988 Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Minerals Rules, and Title 40-8, et seq., of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975. No additional information is required from the operator by the Division at this time. As this is an ongoing operation, a new notice is not required by the Division each year. However, if the operation changes from the original, then an amended notice would be required to be reviewed and accepted by this Division, prior to any changes taking place.

This Division will require that the operator file an annual report of mining operations with this Division by January 31st of each year. An annual report form will be sent to the operator in December for reporting purposes.

It is understood that the Division will notify your office of any permitting concerns we may have, and in turn, your office, acting as 'Lead Agency' will notify the operator accordingly. Please forward a copy of the enclosed SMO-NOI Summary, Operation and Reclamation Practices, as taken from Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (form MR-SMO). By accepting this Notice the Division expects the operator to comply with the practices listed on this page. If the operator cannot comply with these practices, then a variance request must be provided to and formally approved by the Division. This request would include the particular practice which the operator cannot comply with and an explanation describing the reasons why they cannot comply. A variance request is not required for the practices which refer to features which are nonexistent at the project site.

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Please provide us with a copy of your final completeness/approval letter to the operator. In addition, if you receive additional information or amendments for this operation, please notify us so we can update our files. Please reference our designated file number S/041/025 when forwarding additional information on this project to us.

Sincerely,

Lynn Kunzler

Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosure: SMO-NOI Summary cc: Roger L. Bon, UGS

Lamar Sorenson, Diversified Stone w/encl

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